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AND METHOD EMPLOYING DATA
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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2005, on the above-referenced patent application, applicant respectfully requests amendment and reconsideration of the application.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.